

Lewis Avenue Water Main – Phase 2

Construction Planned

Project Description:

The City's water main contractor, *Sagres Construction, Corp.*, will be installing a new water main along Lewis Avenue. The construction will occur on Lewis Avenue from Rockcrest Circle to Allison Drive. Construction is scheduled to begin during the week of May 6th or 13th and continue for three months, weather permitting. Utilities (water, sewer, storm drain and gas lines) on Rockcrest Circle and within the public right-of-way (ROW) will be marked with spray paint. Water main construction crews will start test pitting and cutting the pavement using a saw before installing the new water main.

Additionally, water meters at **910, 1109, 1111, 1113, 1117, 1119, 1402 and 1404 Lewis Avenue** will be relocated to be within the public ROW. Water meters are owned and maintained by the City and per City Code, water meters are to be installed within the public ROW.

Traffic along Lewis Avenue may experience some delays. Impacts during construction include temporary lane closures, on-street parking restrictions, construction noise and temporary water service interruptions. Access to driveways will be maintained throughout the construction period; however, on-street parking will be restricted periodically.

Purpose:

As part of Rockville's Water Main Rehabilitation program, the Department of Public Works (DPW) will be replacing mains (pipes) in our water system, which assures customers continued dependable water service that operates efficiently. The improvements provide assurance that water pressure in your home or business, as well as essential fire protection, will be maintained at all times. This program meets the Mayor and Council's goal for a sustainable infrastructure. The program replaces water mains prioritized based upon pipe condition, water quality, water break history and fire flows.

Location:

Lewis Avenue between Rockcrest Circle and Broadwood Drive

Timeline:

Construction is anticipated to begin during the week of May 6th or 13th and continue for three months, weather permitting.

Cost:

\$770,000 (estimated construction cost)

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